

What is claimed is:

- 1) A camera comprising:
a camera body; and
an alarm clock operably associated with said camera body.
- 2) The camera of claim 1 wherein said alarm clock further comprises at least one output device selected from a group of output devices consisting of:
a speaker, a strobe, a display and a capture device.
- 3) The camera of claim 1 wherein said alarm clock further comprises at least two output devices selected from a group of output devices consisting of:
a speaker, a strobe, a display and a capture device.
- 4) The camera of claim 1 wherein said alarm clock further comprises at least three output devices selected from a group of output devices consisting of:
a speaker, a strobe, a display and a capture device.
- 5) The camera of claim 1 wherein said alarm clock further comprises at least four output devices selected from a group of output devices consisting of:
a speaker, a strobe, a display and a capture device.
- 6) The camera of claim 2, said output device comprising said speaker.

7) The camera of claim 2, said output device comprising said strobe.

8) The camera of claim 2, said output device comprising said display.

9) The camera of claim 2, said output device comprising said capture device.

10) The camera of claim 1 and further comprising at least one element operatively associated with said alarm clock selected from a group of elements consisting of:

a memory storage device, a photosensor array, a computer connector, a real time clock, an always-on portion and a controller.

11) The camera of claim 2 and further comprising at least one element operatively associated with said alarm clock selected from a group of elements consisting of:

a memory storage device, a photosensor array, a computer connector, a real time clock, an always-on portion and a controller.

12) A method of providing notification of the occurrence of a time of day comprising:

inputting data representative of a selected time of day into a camera; and

upon occurrence of said selected time of day, actuating a camera subsystem.

13) The method of claim 12 wherein:

actuating a camera subsystem comprises activating at least one output device selected from a group of output devices consisting of:

a speaker, a strobe, a display and a capture device.

14) The method of claim 12 wherein:

actuating a camera subsystem comprises activating at least two output devices selected from a group of output devices consisting of:

a speaker, a strobe, a display and a capture device.

15) The method of claim 12 and further comprising:

storing data utilized by said camera subsystem for notifying a user of the occurrence of said selected time of day.

16) The method of claim 12 wherein said inputting comprises operating a camera control surface useable for controlling other camera functions.

17) A method of constructing a camera comprising:
mounting an image assembly in a camera housing;

and

mounting an alarm clock in said camera housing.

18) A camera comprising:
means for capturing an image of an object;
means for selecting a time of day; and
means for actuating at least one camera subsystem at the occurrence of said selected time of day.